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SUBJECT: MICRONESIA CLAIMS AGREEMENT: CONFIRMATION OF CONTRACTS;
BANK STATEMENTS

1. FOLLOWING TELECON WITH TTPI OFFICIAL (KIRBY) MAY 14, EMBOFF ON MAY 15 MET WITH FONOFF REPS (SASAKI AND TANAKA) TO DISCUSS QUESTIONS RELATED TO CONFIRMATION OF CONTRACTS. SASAKI SAID QH FONOFF HAS ADOPTED NO NEW POLICY OF CHECKING CONTRACTS IN GREATER DETAIL. AS BEFORE, HOWEVER, IT WILL CHECK CONTRACTS TO ENSURE CONFORMITY TO LIST AND OTHER DOCUMENTS IN AGREEMENT PACKAGE.

2. RE CONTRACTS WHICH STIPULATE DELIVERY BE PERFORMED WITHIN VERY SHORT TIME FOLLOWING CONFIRMATION, TANAKA POINTED OUT THAT ONE CONTRACT PRESENTED TO FONOFF FOR CONFIRMATION HAD STIPULATED DELIVERY BE PERFORMED WITHIN TWO WEEKS OF CONFIRMATION. HAVING IN MIND THAT (A) PROCUREMENT OFFICER VISITS JAPAN ONLY EVERY TWO WEEKS; (B) CONFIRMED CONTRACT IS MAILED BY PROCUREMENT OFFICER FROM OKINAWA TO SAIPAIN, FOLLOWING WHICH (C) TTPI OFFICIALS IN SAIPAN MAIL PAYMENT GUARANTEE TO BANK AND CONTRACTOR, UPON RECEIPT OF WHICH (BUT NOT UNCLASSIFIED

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BEFORE) (D) CONTRACTOR MUST APPLY TO MITI FOR EXPORT

LICENSE, AND, FINALLY (E) SHIPPING SERVICES FROM JAPAN TO TRUST TERRITORY ARE LIMITED, FONOFF DOUBTED THAT CONTRACTOR WOULD BE ABLE TO PERFORM DELIVERY BY DATE SET BY CONTRACT. IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURES AGREED TO IN JULY 1974 STIPULATE THAT (A) ANY UNREASONABLE CHANGE IN SHIPMENT DATE (PERHAPS MORE THAN 2-3 MONTHS) REQUIRES CONTRACT TO BE SUBMITTED AGAIN TO FONOFF FOR RECONFIRMATION, AND (B) ANY OTHER MODIFICATION OF A CONTRACT (FOR INSTANCE, A CHANGE IN SHIPMENT DATE OF LESS THAN 2-3 MONTHS) MUST BE NOTIFIED IN WRITING TO FONOFF FOR INFORMATION. FONOFF HAD THOUGHT TO DO TTPI AND ITSELF A FAVOR BY SUGGESTING INCLUSION IN CONTRACT OF DELIVERY DUE DATE REASONABLY LIKELY TO BE MET AND, THUS, ELIMINATING PROBABLE NEED FOR TROUBLESOME RECONFIRMATION OR NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE.

3. IN EVENT FONOFF FINDS PROBLEMS WITH CONTRACT WHICH NECESSITATE FURTHER DISCUSSION, OR WHICH CALL ULTIMATE CONFIRMATION INTO QUESTION, FONOFF WOULD NOTIFY PROCUREMENT OFFICER IMMEDIATELY UPON HIS NEXT VISIT TO FONOFF.

4. EMBASSY FORWARDED ON MAY 14, BY REGISTERED MAIL, ADDITIONAL COPY OF CONTRACT MWC 60 TO JIM KIRBY, C/O OFFICER OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER, SAIPAN, MARIANA ISLANDS 96950.

5. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED BANK STATEMENT FOR PERIOD ENDING APRIL 30, 1975. HOWEVER, TTPI CERTIFICATION TYPED ON STATEMENT WAS NOT SIGNED. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIPT OF SIGNED CERTIFIED COPY OF STATEMENT AT EARLIEST CONVENIENCE OF TTPI. HODGSON

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